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SYSTEM FOR AUTOMATING  
AND MANAGING  
AN ENTERPRISE IP  
ENVIRONMENT

Amendment and Response to the Office Action Under §1.111  
Submitted with Request for Continued Examination Under §1.114

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15235  
March 1, 2006

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 1, 2005 (the "Office Action"), Applicants submit the amendments below for the above-referenced application (the "Subject Application") along with the following: (1) Petition under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for a three-month extension of time; (2) a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114; and (3) authorization to charge all fees, including those associated with (1) and (2) above, to deposit account 502642.

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